

**REMARKS**

This Preliminary Amendment accompanies a request for reissue of U.S. Patent No. 6,307,847 B1.

A statement of status of the claims and support for claim changes, as required by 37 C.F.R. §1.173(c) is being provided in a separate paper.

Also accompanying this Amendment are a reissue Declaration, a Statement of Written Consent of Assignee, a 37 C.F.R. §3.73(b) Statement, an Offer to Surrender the Original Patent, an Information Disclosure Statement, a copy of the patent in double column format, and our check.


An identification of the error, required by 35 U.S.C. § 251 is included in the reissue Declaration.

A description of concurrent proceedings, required by 37 C.F.R. § 1.178(b), is included in the reissue Declaration.

Examination on the merits is requested.

Respectfully submitted,

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This is part of the application for a reissue patent filed herewith based on the original patent identified as follows:

Inventors: Clifton W. Wood, Jr.  
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Title of Invention: METHOD OF ADDRESSING MESSAGES, AND  
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**STATEMENT OF STATUS OF CLAIMS AND SUPPORT**

Claims 1-37 are from the patent for which a reissue is sought and are now pending.

Claims 38-75 have been added and are now pending.

Support for new claim 38 can be found at least in original claim 34.

Support for new claim 39 can be found at least in Col. 9, lines 58-60.

Support for new claims 40-41 can be found at least in Col. 9, lines 9-30.

Support for new claims 42-44 can be found at least in Col. 11, line 57-Col. 12,  
line 28.

Support for new claim 45 can be found at least in Col. 11, line 57-Col. 12, line 28  
and Col. 6, lines 57-58.

Support for new claim 46 can be found at least in Col. 4, lines 28-31 and Col. 18, lines 20-22.

Support for new claims 47-48 can be found at least in Col. 10, line 59-Col.11 line 56.

Support for new claim 49 can be found at least in Col. 9, lines 16-20 and 58-60.

Support for new claim 50 can be found at least in Col. 11, line 57-Col. 12, line 28 and Col. 9, lines 16-20.

Support for new claim 51 can be found at least in Col. 11, line 57-Col. 12, line 28.

Support for new claim 52 can be found at least in Col. 9, lines 15-17 and Col. 11, lines 57-67.

Support for new claim 53 can be found at least in Col. 4, lines 28-31 and Col. 18, lines 20-22.

Support for new claim 54 can be found at least in Col. 6, lines 10-15.

Support for new claims 55-57 can be found at least in Col. 10, line 59-Col. 11, line 56.

Support for new claim 58 can be found at least in Col. 4, lines 23-31 and 55-61, Col. 5, lines 35-39, and Col. 9, lines 58-60.

Support for new claim 59 can be found at least in Col. 10, lines 9-29.

Support for new claim 60 can be found at least in Col. 10, lines 1-8.

Support for new claim 61 can be found at least in Col. 11, line 57-Col. 12, line 28.

Support for new claim 62 can be found at least in Col. 10, lines 1-8.

Support for new claim 63 can be found at least in Col. 1, lines 22-30 and Col. 4, lines 28-31.

Support for new claim 64 can be found at least in Col. 6, lines 24-30.

Support for new claims 65-66 can be found at least in Col. 10, line 59-Col. 11, line 56.

Support for new claim 67 can be found at least in Col. 4, lines 15-22 and Col. 9, line 67-Col. 10, line 8.

Support for new claim 68 can be found at least in Col. 9, line 67-Col. 10, line 8.

Support for new claim 69 can be found at least in Col. 11, line 57-Col. 12, line 28.

Support for new claims 70-71 can be found at least in Col. 4, lines 15-23.


Support for new claim 72 can be found at least in Col. 4, lines 15-23 and Col. 6, lines 20-23.

Support for new claims 73-74 can be found at least in Col. 10, line 59-Col. 11, line 56.

Support for new claim 75 can be found at least in Col. 11, line 57-Col. 12, line 28.

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